meetings, the two sides have reached agreement on the work regulations of the Group. Both sides discussed further confidence building measures. Both sides also agreed to establish additional designated points for meetings between the border personnel of the two countries in the Sikkim sector and Middle sector of the India-China border areas, in addition to the present points at Bumla and Spanggur Gap in the Eastern and Western sectors respectively. Implementation of the Agreemet will help in strengthening the relations between the two countries.

Ban on Manufacturer of high risk drugs

*355. SHRI GHUFRAN AZAM: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have decided to ban the manufacture of high risk drugs in the country;

(b) if so, the names of the drugs identified as high risk drugs alongwith the names of the companies manufacturing such drugs;

(c) the basis on which Government have identified those drugs as high risk drugs; and

(d) the reasons for which Government did not ban such drugs earlier?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C. SILVERA): (a) Government have already banned certain drugs in the country.

(b) Of the 51 categories of drugs and formulations so far banned, 33 drugs formulations do not stand scientific scrutiny and 18 drugs/formulations were banned as safer substitutes are available as per the list given at the Statement. Since these drugs/formulations have already been banned, the names of the companies manufacturing such drugs do not arise (*See* below).

(c) and (d) Decision to ban the drugs is taken on the advise of the Drug Technical Advisory Board, a statutory body under the Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940, from time to time.

Statement

List of banned drugs/formulations

1. Amidopyrine
2. Fixed dose combinations of Vitamins with anti-inflamatory agents and tranquilisers.
3. Fixed dose combinations of Atropine in Analgesics and Anti pyretics.
4. Fixed dose combinations of Strychnine and Caffeine in tonics.
5. Fixed dose combinations of Yohimbine and Stryohnine with Testosterone and Vitamins.
6. Fixed dose combinations of Iron with Strychnine Arsenic and Yohimbine.
7. Fixed dose combination of Sodium Bromide/Chloralhydrate with other drugs.
8. Phenacetin
9. Fixed dose combinations of antihistaminics with anti-diarrhoeals.
10. Fixed dose combinations of Penicillin with Sulphonamides.
11. Fixed dose combinations Vitamins with Analgesics
12. Fixed dose combinations of any other tetracyclines with Vit. C.
13. Fixed dose combinations of Hydrozyquinoline group of Drugs except preparations which are used for the treatment of diarrhoea and dysentry and for external use only.
14. Fixed dose combinations of Corticosteroids with any other drug for internal use.
15. Fixed dose combinations of Chloramphenicol with any other drug for internal use.
16. Fixed dose combinations of crude Ergot preparations except those containing Erogotamine, Caffeine, Anal.

gesics, anthistamines for the treatment of migraine, headaches.

17. Fixed dose combinations of Vitamins with Anti TB.

18. Pencillin Skin/eye ointment.

19. Tetracycline Liquid Oral preparations.

20. Nialmide

21. Practocol

22. Methapyrilene, its salts.

23. Methaqualone.

24. Oxytetracycline Liquid Oral Preparations.

25. Demeclocycline Liquid Oral Preparations.

26. Combination of Anabolic Steroids with other drugs.

27. Fixed dose combinations of Oestrogen and Progestin (other than oral contreceptive) containing per tablet estrogen content of more than 50 meg. (equivalent to Ethinyl Estradiol) and of progestin content of more than 3 mg. (equilvent to Norethister-one Acetate) and all fixed dose combination injectable preparation containing sythetic Oestrogen and progestorone.

28. Fixed dose combination of Sedatives/ hypnotics/anxiolytics with analgesic-antipyretics.

29. Fixed dose combination of Pyrazinamide with other anti-tuberculer drugs except combination of Pyrazinamide with Rifampicin and INH as per recommended daily dose given below:

Drugs	Minimum	Maximum
	mg	mg
Rifampicin . .	450	600
INH . .	300	400
Pyrazinamede	1000	1500

30. Fixed dose combination of histamine H2-receptor antagonists with antacids except or those combinations approved by the Drugs Controller, India.

31. The patent and proprietary medicines of fixed dose combinations of essential oils with alcohol having percentage higher than 20 per cent proof except preparations given in the Indian Pharmacopoeia.

32. All pharmaceutical preparations containing Chloroform exceeding 0.5 per cent w/w or v/v whichever is appropriate.

33. Fixed dose combination of Ethambutol with INH other than the following:

INH	Ethambutol
200 mg	600mg
300 mg	800 mg

34. Fixed dose combination containing more than one entihistamine.

35. Fixed dose combination of any anthelmintic with cathartic/purgative except piperazine/santonin.

36. Fixed dose combination of Salbutamol or any other orononodilator centrally acting anti-tussive and/or antihistamine.

37. Fixed dose combination of laxatives and/or anti spasmodic drugs in enzyme preparations.

38. Fixed dose combination of Metoclopramide with other drugs except for preparations containing metoclopramide and aspirin/paracetamol.

39. Fixed dose combination of centrally acting antitussive with antihistamine having high atropine like activity in expectorants.

40. Preparations claiming to combat cough associated with asthma containing centrally acting antitussive and/or an antihistamine.

41. Liwuid oral tonic preparations containing glycero-phosphates and/or other phosphates and/or central nervous system stimulant and such preparations containing alcohol more than 20 proof.

42. Fixed dose combination containing Pectin and/or Kaolin with any drug which is systemically absorbed from GI tract except for combination of Pectin and/or Kaolin with drugs not systemically absorbed.

43. Chloral Hydrate as a drug.

44. Dover's powder I.P.

45. Dower's powder Tablets I.P.

46. Antidiarrhoeal formulations containing Kaolin or Pectin or Attapulgite or Activated Charcoal.

47. Antidiarrhoeal formulations containing Phthalyl Sulphathiazole or Sulphaguanidine or Succinyl Sulphathlazole.

48. Antidiarrhoeal formulations containing Neomycin or Streptomycin or Dihydrostreptomycin including their respective salts of esters.

49. Liquid Oral antidiarrhoeals or any other dosage form for paediatric use containing Diphenoxylate or Loperamide or Atropine or Belladonna including their salts or esters or metabolites Hyoscyamine or their extracts or their alkaloids.

50. Liquid oral antidiarrhoeals or any other dosage form for paeodistric use containing halogenated hydroxyquinolines.

51. Fixed dose combination of antidiarrhoeals with electrolytes.

Visit of leaders of 'All Party Hurriyat Conference and People's League' to Delhi

*356. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that some top leaders of All Party Hurriyat Conference and People's League etc. visited the capital in the month of March, 1995; if so, what are their names;

(b) the period of their stay in the Capital;

(c) whether it is also a fact that these leaders, during their stay in the capital, openly advocated independence and the right of self-determination for the people of Jammu and Kashmir; and

(d) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE SHRI BHUVNEH CHATURVEDI : (a) and (b) According to available information the following leaders from Jammu and Kashmir visited New Delhi for different periods of time during March, 1995:—

(i) Syed Ali Shah Gillani, Jamat-e-Islami

(ii) Maulvi Umar Farooq, Awami Action Committee.

(iii) Abdul Gani Lone, People's League.

(iv) Shabir Ahmed Shah, People's League.

(v) Ghulam Nabi Sumbji, Muslim Conference.

(vi) Fazal-ul-Haq Qureshi, People's Political Front.

(c) and (d). Government are aware of reports appearing in media etc. regarding statements made by some of them about the right of self-determination etc. The statements of these are being examined for such action as may be necessary and appropriate.

IBRD, ADB and World Bank aided Projects

*357. SHRI SATISH PRADHAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) what are the projects already under execution under International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD), Asian Development Bank (ADB), World Bank (WB) assistance in Maharashtra and progress achieved thereunder upto 31st March, 1995 Project wise in terms of set targets;

(b) the reasons for slow/sluggish progress;